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Thanks, Rob. I have reiterated that message as well and will keep you posted of any updates on my end.

Thanks again,
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Thanks Scott. I hope the Amb. also relayed to the White House our strong desire for them to make public when they are going to send the FTA's up to Congress

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Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2011 11:39 AM
To: Etter, Marisa (Portman)
Cc: Toy, Eric (Portman)
Subject: RE: meeting request for South Korean Trade Minister Kim

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Excellent, Marisa, thanks again! I really appreciate your help.

Eric, we look forward to seeing you and Senator Portman tomorrow at 9. As you might guess, Minister Kim will want to join the Senator in assessing how today's developments, and those yet to come, will affect the endgame on the FTAs. I also have attached a brief bio for the Minister. Please let me know if you need anything else.

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Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2011 11:27 AM
To: Thompson, Scott
Cc: Toy, Eric (Portman)
Subject: RE: meeting request for South Korean Trade Minister Kim

Hi Scott:

Thank you so much for your message--barring no last-minute conflicts with the super committee, we can make 9:00 am work! Thank you so much again for your patience. We would be happy to host this meeting in our office, located in room 338 of the Russell Senate Office Building.

I have copied my colleague Eric Toy on this e-mail, who may reach out to you for additional details. Eric handles the trade portfolio for the Senator.

Again, thank you for your flexibility and we look forward to seeing you all tomorrow.

Sincerely,
Marisa

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From: Thompson, Scott [mailto:sthompson@PattonBoggs.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2011 10:44 AM
To: Etter, Marisa (Portman)
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Hello again, Marisa. Would Senator Portman happen to be available at 9, 9:15, 9:30, 9:45, or even 10am tomorrow? After that, Minister Kim unfortunately needs to head to the airport, but he really hopes a meeting before then would work.

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Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2011 7:25 PM
To: Thompson, Scott
Subject: RE: meeting request for South Korean Trade Minister Kim

Thank you so much Scott. Again, you have our thanks.

Marisa

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From: Thompson, Scott [mailto:sthompson@PattonBoggs.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2011 7:25 PM
To: Etter, Marisa (Portman)
Subject: Re: meeting request for South Korean Trade Minister Kim

Marisa, thanks so much for your note and your efforts. There is a chance Friday morning would work on our end, and I will let you know as soon as I find out.

Thanks again,
Scott

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Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2011 06:51 PM
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Dear Scott:

Thank you so much for your patience with our office getting back to you. You have our apologies that we have not been able to confirm anything for tomorrow due to the super committee hearing. By chance is Minister Kim in Washington on Friday as well?

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Bio for Trade Minister Jong-hoon KIM

Profile

Position: Minister for Trade
Name: Kim Jong-hoon
Date of Birth: May. 5, 1952
Family: Married with one son

Education

1975 Graduated from the Department of Business Administration, Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

Career

- Minister for Trade, MOFAT (Aug 2007)
- Chief Negotiator for Korea-US FTA (Feb 2006)
- Ambassador for APEC, Senior Official (Aug 2004)
- Consul-General, Korean Consulate General in San Francisco, U.S.A. (Feb 2002)
- Director-General, Bilateral Trade Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade(MOFAT) (Jun 2000)
- Minister, Korean Permanent Mission to the UN Secretariat and International Organizations in Geneva, Switzerland (Mar. 1998)
- Deputy Director-General, International Economic Affairs Bureau, MOFA (Feb 1997)
- Director for Protocol Division, MOFA (Nov 1991)
- Counsellor, Korean Embassy in Canada (Dec 1987)
- Director, International Affairs Bureau, Seoul Olympic Organization Committee (Jul 1985)
- Second Secretary, Korean Embassy in Burkina Faso (May 1981)

Awards

- Order of Service Merit (Red Stripes) (Dec 1992)

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